

# *Deputy Under Secretary of Defense Installations & Environment*

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## **Safety and Occupational Health Program**



**DUSD (I&E) SOH  
3 Jun 02**



# ***Briefing Purpose***

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## **■ Inform:**

- DUSD(I&E) Role and Initiatives**
- DoD Safety & Occupational Health Strategy**
- Workgroup Interaction**

## **■ Provide:**

- Focus Areas / Direction Planning**
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# ***DUSD(I&E)***

## ***Safety & Occupational Health***

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### **■ Charter:**

- **Protect DoD People, Facilities & Equipment, Worldwide**

### **■ Strategy:**

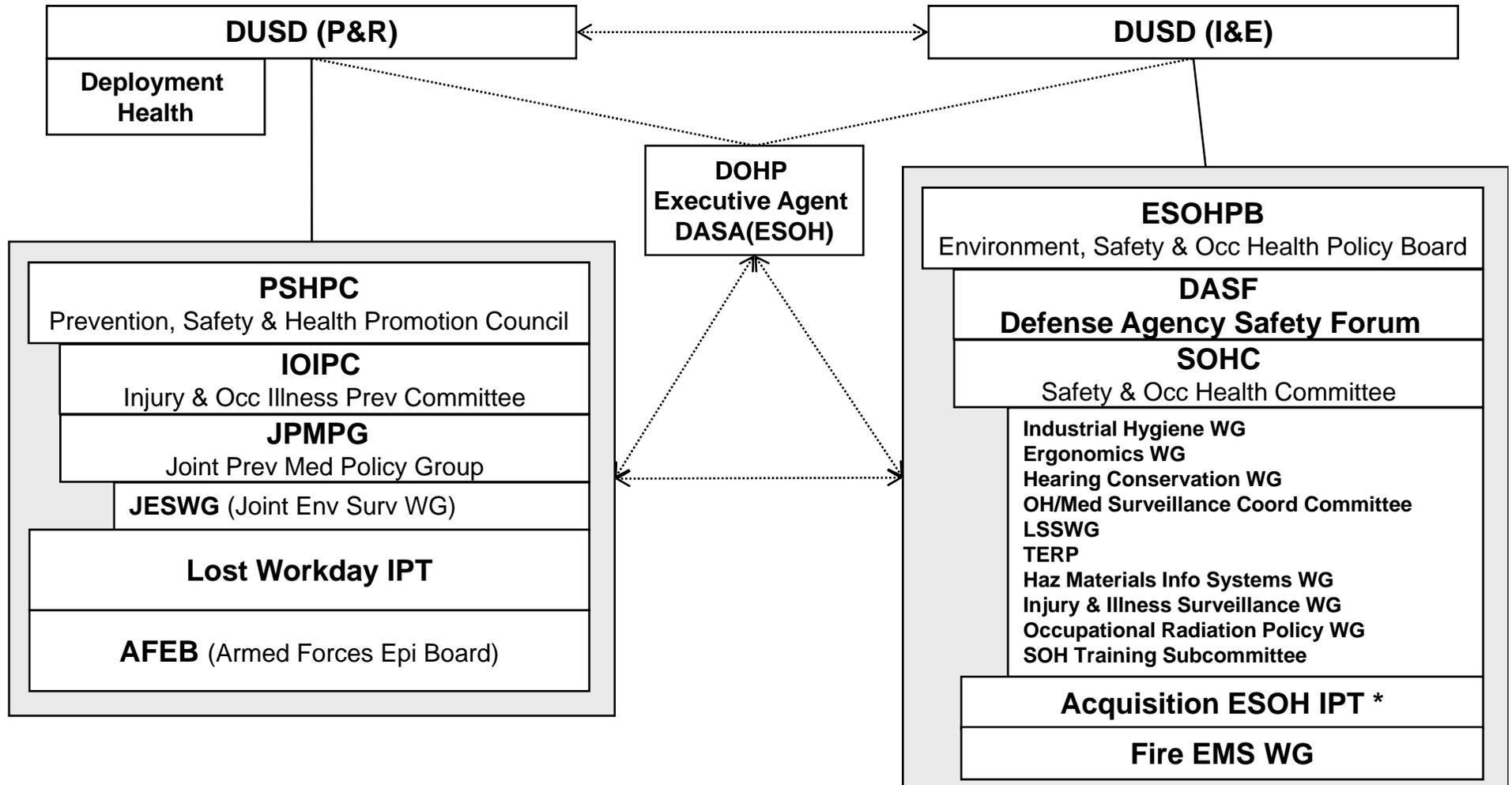
- **Reduce Risk, Loss of Life & Property Damage**
- **Reduce Liability**
- **Preserve Mission Capability**

### **■ Deliverables:**

- **Policy**
  - **Advocacy**
  - **Oversight**
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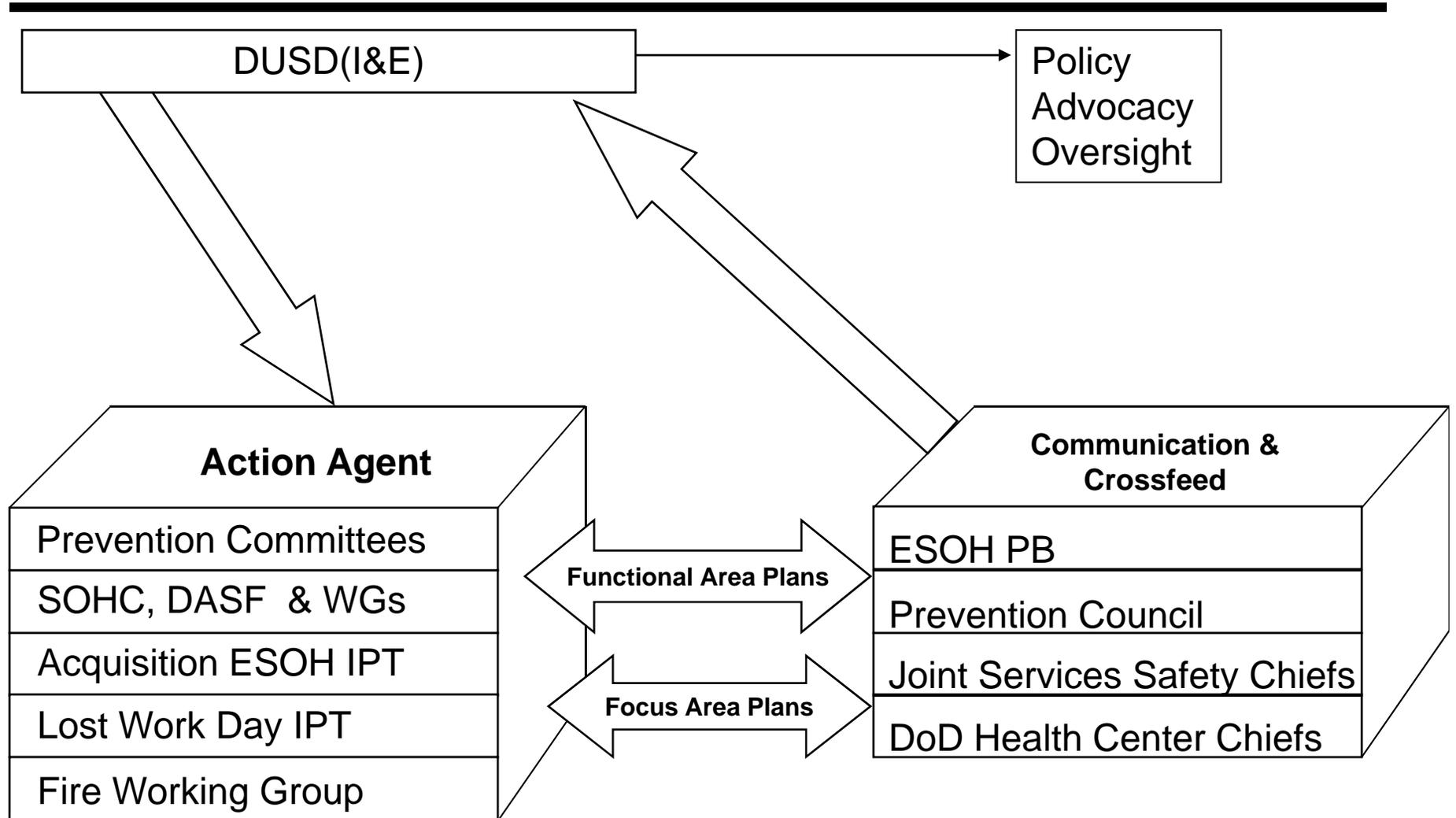


# DoD SOH Related Working Groups



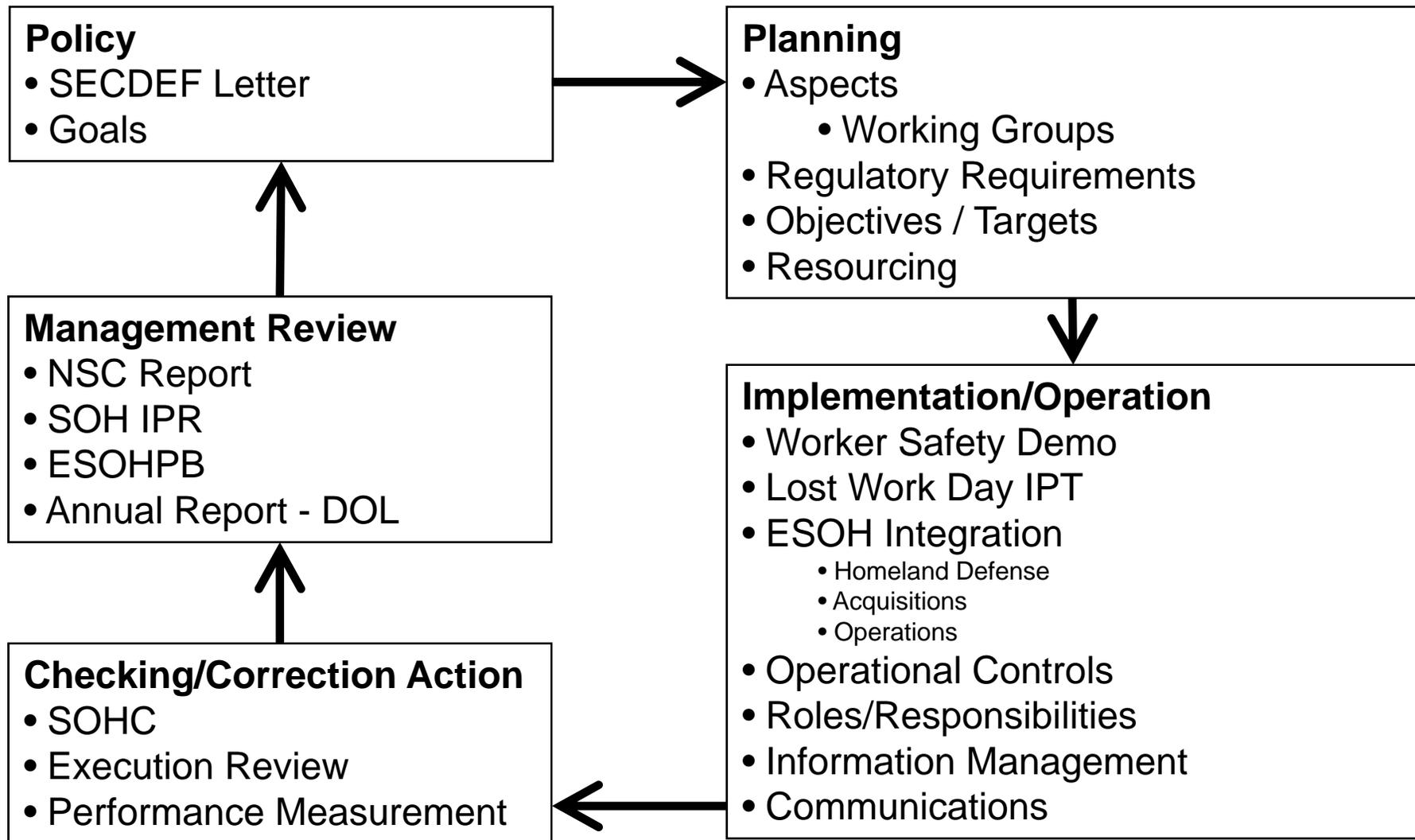


# Strategy to Policy Integration





# Systematic Approach





# ***Safety & Occupational Health Initiatives***

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- **National Safety Council Review**
  - **SOH In Progress Review**
  - **Worker Safety Demonstration**
  - **SECDEF “Lost Day Tasker”**
  - **ESOH Integration into Military Operations**
  - **ESOH Integration into Homeland Defense**
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# *National Safety Council*

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## What is it

- **Independent Review of DoD SOH**
  - **Private Sector experts**
  - **SOH “leaders”**

## Why is it Important

- **SECDEF interest**
- **↑ Readiness**
- **↑ Performance**

## Status

- **Report Final 1 Dec 01**
- **Implementation planning underway**

## Direction

- **Demonstrate Leadership**
  - **Continuing, Strong, Personal Commitment**
- **Oversight at DEPSECDEF Level**
- **SOH in DPG & MPG**
- **Uniform Performance Measurement**
- **Authority, Personnel, Resources**
- **Identify & Improve Focus Areas**

## Endstate

- **DOD SOH Strategy**
- **Action Plan**



# ***SOH In Progress Review***

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## What is it

- **Self Assessment of SOH program**

## Direction

- **↓ PMV fatalities**
- **↑ Deployment Involvement**
- **Improve Emergency Service**
- **↑ Acquisition Involvement**
- **Improve Homeland Defense**

## Why is it Important

- **Identify program gaps**
- **↑ Readiness**
- **↑ Performance**

## Endstate

- **Action Plan**
- **Consistent Reporting**

## Status

- **IPR held Jan 2002**
  - **Trends summary – Focus Area ID**
  - **Action Planning**
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# ***Worker Safety Demonstration***

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## What is it

- **Congressionally Mandated Program**
- **“Best Work Safety Practices”**
- **Adopt Private Sector Models**

## Status

- **2 Sites / Service + 2 Defense Agencies**
- **Demos underway**
- **Interim Report (Dec 2001)**

## Why is it Important

- **↑ Performance**
- **↑ Readiness**
- **↓ Injury / Illness**
- **↓ Direct / Indirect costs**

## Direction

- **Final Report (Dec 2002)**

## Endstate

- **DoD Wide program improvements**
- **Private Sector Compatibility**



# ***SECDEF “Lost Day Tasker”***

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What is it

- **SECDEF Question:**

***“How many lost days does the Department have each year (for military and civilians) due to injury?”***

Why is it Important

- **SECDEF interest**
- **Not a simple answer**

Status

- **GO / SES Level IPT Chartered**
- **Investigating payroll as data source**
- **Need sources for military**

Direction

- **Consistent Data**
- **Quick Access**
- **Responsiveness**

Endstate

- **Accurate program measurement**
  - **Consistent / Accurate Data**
  - **Web-enabled “Lessons-Learned”**
  - **Action Plan**
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# ***ESOH Integration Into Military Operations***

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## What is it

- **Policies / Programs to imbed ESOH**

## Why is it Important

- **↑ Readiness**
- **↑ Force Protection**

## Status

- **Partnering with Intel Community**
- **CENTCOM & OEF Lessons Learned**
- **Initial data collected (Aircraft)**

## Direction

- **Develop DoD Policy**
- **Influence Joint Doctrine**
- **Leverage International Cooperation**

## Endstate

- **↑ Operational Efficiency**
- **Strong Partnerships**



# ***ESOH Integration Into Homeland Defense***

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## What is it

- **Policies / Programs to imbed ESOH**

## Why is it Important

- **↑ Readiness**
- **↑ Force Protection**

## Status

- **Partnering with AT/FP Community**
- **Pentagon & Hart Lessons Learned**
- **Working Toward Worldwide Response Capability**

## Direction

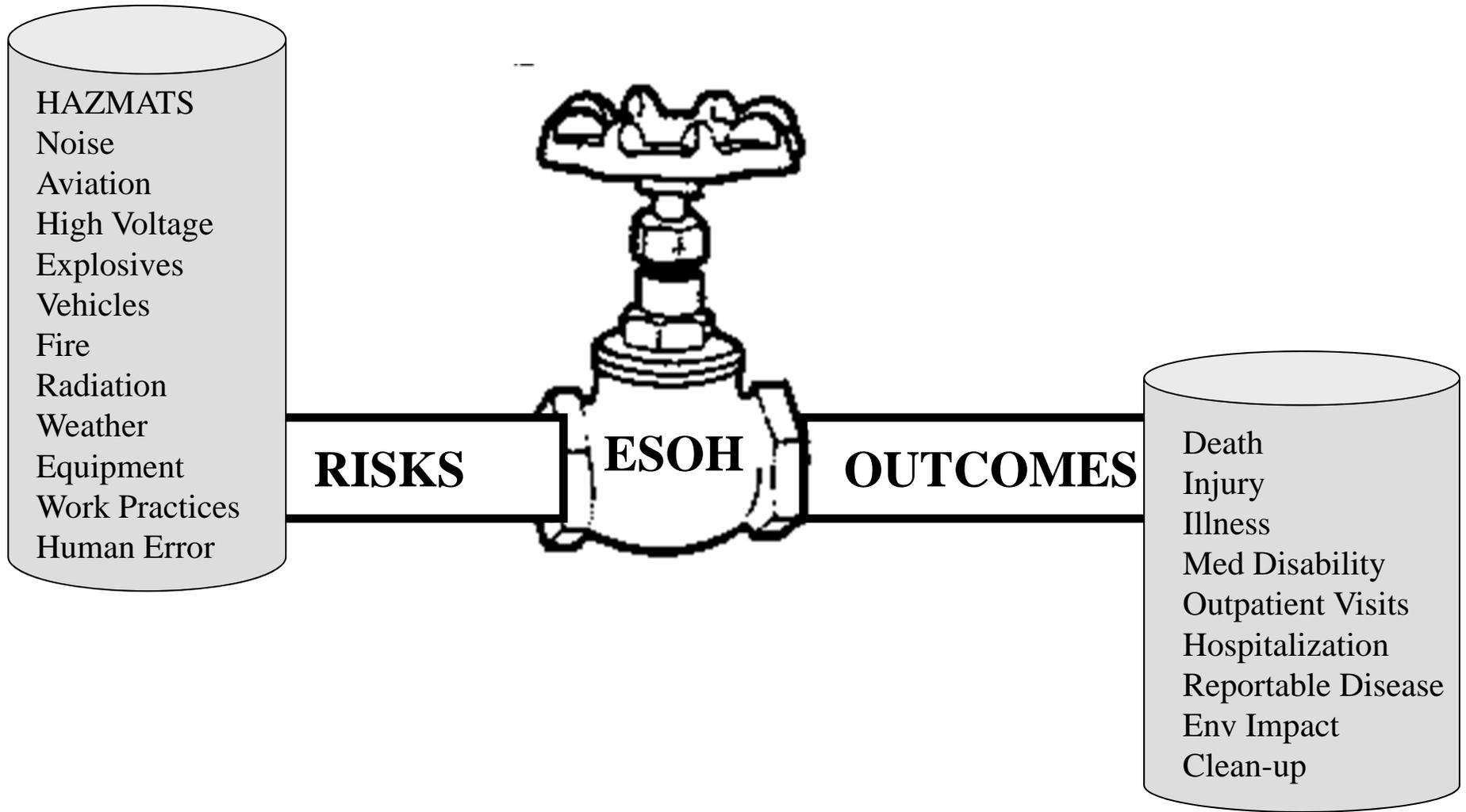
- **Develop DoD Policy**
- **Influence CBRNE Doctrine**
- **Leverage National and International Cooperation**

## Endstate

- **↑ Operational/Community Response Capability**
- **Strong Partnerships**



# ***ESOH Challenge: Tighten The Valve***





# ***An Avalanche Begins With A Few Snowflakes***

March 18, 2002 1:22 PM

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TO: David Chu

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld 

SUBJECT: Reduce Accidents

Have we initiated a program to reduce accidents by 50%, as Paul O'Neill has?

Thanks.

Attach.

02/04/02 USD(P&R) memo to SecDef re: Lost Days



## ***Action Plan Elements***

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- **Communicate Leadership Commitment**
  - **Implement / Improve Program Measurement**
  - **Drive program improvement**
  - **Specific Focus Areas:**
    - **Reduce PMV Fatalities**
    - **Improve ESOH in Deployments/Contingencies**
    - **Standardize Emergency Medical Services Across DoD**
    - **Improve SOH Resourcing**
    - **Improve ESOH in Acquisitions**
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